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BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO DESIGNATE ADDITIONAL WRITTEN-CROSS-EXAMINATION OF ABA/EEI/NAPM WITNESS CLIFTON (March 23, 1998)

On February 18, 1998, during oral cross-examination of ABA/EEI/NAPM witness Clifton, the Postal Service propounded several questions to which he was unable to provide answers orally, but in response to which ABA/EEI/NAPM counsel committed to file written responses. See Tr. 18/1061, lines 13-14, 22-23; Tr. 18/1062, lines 9-12. Responses to those questions were filed on February 27, 1998. In addition, on March 6, 1998, ABA/EEI/NAPM filed Dr. Clifton's outstanding responses to other Postal Service interrogatories: USPS/ABA/EEI/NAPM-T-1-40j&k and 41.

The Postal Service hereby moves that these responses be designated into the evidentiary record as additional cross-examination of Dr. Clifton in relation to his ABA/EEI/NAPM testimony.

Two copies of each interrogatory response are being submitted to the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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